

THRONE PASSES TO ELDEST SON

Under Title of Gustave V the Duke of Verland Becomes King of Sweden.

GREAT CAREER OF OSCAR II

HIGHEST TYPE OF A REIGNING MONARCH.

Stockholm, Dec. 8.—Oscar II, King of Sweden, died at 9:10 o'clock this morning. The death of the venerable monarch occurred in the royal apartment of the palace, where, surrounded by the members of his family, including the aged queen, Sweden's crown prince, Oscar Gustave, and high ministers of state, the inevitable end had been awaited, while outside the palace great crowds stood with bowed heads and tearful eyes long after the announcement came of the death of their well-beloved sovereign. The whole country is bowed with grief, for King Oscar was something more than a ruler of his people and an endearing himself to them as an intimate and personal friend. When the flag on the palace was dipped to half-mast there was a moan of anguish from the assembled multitude, and many of them cried "Our dear old king is dead."

Official Bulletin.
The following official bulletin was posted after the king's death:
"The strength of the king continued to decrease throughout the night, and the state of unconsciousness became more marked. His majesty passed quietly away at 9:10 a. m."

The death certificate was worded as follows:
"We declare upon oath that his majesty, King Oscar II, expired peacefully at 9:10 o'clock this morning in the castle at Stockholm, at the age of 78 years, 9 months, 17 days, as the result of calcification of the cerebral and cardiac blood vessels."
(Signed) "BERG, EDGREN, FLENSBURG."

Gustave on the Throne.
The succession to the throne of Sweden now passes to Oscar Gustave Adolphe, Duke of Verland, the oldest son of the late king. At a meeting of the council of state this afternoon the new king took the oath of allegiance under the title of Gustave V, and adopted the motto "With the People of the Fatherland." The princess then took the oath of allegiance and the new monarch accepted the homage of the state officials.

The last hours of the expiring monarch were passed in unconsciousness, and up to the end he gave no sign of recognizing those about him.
Unable to Say Farewell.
The queen was grief-stricken because he could not say farewell. All through yesterday the king had remained in a comatose condition. At times there were faint signs of consciousness perceptible as the attending physicians brought some remedy to the sufferer. But their ministrations were without avail, and they held out no hope last night beyond a promise to keep the spark of life burning for yet a few hours.

Believing that death would not occur until morning, the members of the royal family and the cabinet ministers withdrew and the physicians left the patient in the hands of the nurses soon after midnight. Within an hour or two the doctors were called again to the sick room and administered further stimulants, but at 5:15 the gentlemen of the king's court were aroused and ordered to appear at once in the bed chamber. The premier and foreign minister and the highest state officials, together with all the members of the king's family, assembled there and remained at his side until the end came.

Career of King Oscar.
The death of King Oscar is not expected to be followed by any serious disturbances of Sweden's political condition. The venerable monarch has been slowly failing for many months past, and last January he experienced an illness that at the time was expected to end fatally. All precautions were taken for the orderly passage of power to the hands of his able son and successor, Oscar Gustave Adolphe, Duke of Verland, who took the title of Gustave V.

King Oscar has long been one of the most interesting figures of European royalty, his descent from Napoleon's great field marshal, Bernadotte, his gigantic stature and his family connections with many of the other great houses of Europe combine to give him an interesting personality. His truly democratic habits have made him idolized by his subjects, who have regarded him more as a father than a monarch. It was King Oscar's devotion to the cause of peace that attracted the attention of both the United States and

Great Britain when the two countries were aiming the Olney-Panefote general treaty of arbitration, the document naming King Oscar as final arbitrator should those representing the two countries fail to agree.

Under King Oscar Sweden's stability and progress have been uniform until the events culminating in the recent separation of Norway. The final success of the separation was a grievous blow to the aged king. Both his pride and his heart were wounded, and his constant brooding over this unhappy event doubtless contributed to his death. Indeed, the doctors' final diagnosis that his heart was affected appears to give color to the earlier reports that he was slowly dying of a broken heart. Politically, however, neither Sweden nor Norway is likely to be disturbed by King Oscar's death, since the recent storm between them has been wholly calmed and each has now adjusted itself to the new order of affairs.

One respect the change of monarch may ameliorate the relations between Sweden and Norway, as the new king's son, who now becomes crown prince, is united by marriage to the queen of Norway.

The new king, Gustave, much resembles his father in gigantic stature and in light Saxon-blond features. The young monarch is not unused to the cares of state, as he has frequently acted as regent during the illness and absence of his father, and has displayed good sense and ability. He is personally much liked here and at other capitals, where he is regarded as having his father's characteristics of sincerity and simplicity.

Grandson of Bernadotte.
Oscar II, king of Sweden and previous to 1905, king of Norway, was born Jan. 21, 1829. He was the third son of King Oscar I and of Queen Josephine, daughter of Prince Eugene of Leuchtenberg and grandson of Marshal Bernadotte. Oscar II succeeded to the throne at the death of his brother, King Carl XV, Sept. 18, 1872. He was married June 6, 1857, to Queen Sophia, born July 9, 1836, daughter of the late Duke William of Nassau. Four children survive: King Oscar—Crown Prince Gustave, born June 16, 1858; Prince Oscar Bernadotte, born Nov. 15, 1858; Prince Carl, born Feb. 27, 1881, and Prince Eugene, born Aug. 1, 1885. Prince Gustave was married Sept. 20, 1881, to Princess Victoria of Baden. Their oldest son, Prince Gustave, was married June 15, 1905, to Princess Margaret Victoria of Connaught. Prince Oscar Bernadotte succeeded to the throne and married March 15, 1881, Ebba Munck of Fulkila.

In the years 1892 and 1893 the late king Oscar steadfastly opposed the proposition of the Norwegian parliament for a separate consular service, which led to Norway, Oct. 26, 1905, declaring the union of Sweden and Norway dissolved. King Oscar's death was offered to a prince of the reigning house of Sweden, but was declined by King Oscar, and after an appeal to the Norwegian people, Prince Charles of Denmark was elected king of Norway by the Norwegian parliament Nov. 18, 1905.

Samoan Arbitration.
An event of international importance in the life of King Oscar was his arbitration of the Samoan claims in 1902, when he adjudged the American and British governments to be responsible for the fighting in the Samoan islands in 1899. He also attained prominence at the time of the Venezuela dispute, which caused friction between the United States and Great Britain in 1896. It was then proposed, in case the island arbitration commission, consisting of four members, failed to agree, that the matter be referred to King Oscar. But an agreement was reached at Paris, where the arbitration tribunal met in the spring of 1899, and King Oscar's intervention was not necessary.

King Oscar was called the ablest ruler of the nineteenth century and the most democratic king that ever lived. He never made any attempt to conceal the humble origin of his family, and whenever he traveled to the south of France he made it a point to visit the little house at Pau where his grandfather was born.

A tablet over the door of the little one-story house bears this inscription: "The peasant, Charles Bernadotte, who subsequently rose to be field marshal of France and ultimately King Charles XIV of Sweden and Norway, was born in this cottage in 1763."

Every Inch a King.
In appearance, however, King Oscar was every inch a king, and there is no sovereign in all Europe who was more stately and more regal in bearing than he. In height King Oscar stood 6 feet 2 inches, taller than most of his subjects, who as a rule are tall men. His eyes were blue in color, distinctive of his race, and were commanding but kindly.

The late king was distinguished in philosophy, having received degrees in the universities of Europe in relation to the physical sciences, so far as degrees indicate, the most learned man in Europe. He was an author, a translator, a learned man in political economy, a student of science of government, a musician, an historian and playwright. All the great masterpieces of literature, historical, philosophical and religious, he translated into Swedish. One of his novels, the one which has become the most widely known of his works of fiction, deals with the rise of his own family of Bernadotte and the accession to the throne of Sweden by his grandfather, Marshal Bernadotte.

With all his accomplishments as a scholar, King Oscar was a brave man, and wore upon his breast on state occasions a medal bestowed on him by the French government as a reward for two heroic deeds performed when he was a young man.

The New Monarch.
Gustave, the new ruler of Sweden, was born in the castle of Drottningholm, immediately after his birth he was made Duke of Verland. He pursued his studies from 1877 to 1878 at Upsala. In 1879 he traveled abroad, visiting almost all the countries of Europe. In 1880 he returned to a second time to the university at Upsala.

He entered the army in 1875 and in 1892 he was given the rank of general lieutenant. In 1896 he served as inspector of the military schools and in 1898 he was made a full general. Between the years 1884 and 1891 Gustave filled the office of vice king of Norway. As a result of Gustave's persistent and strenuous efforts to hold the Swedish-Norwegian union together, he earned the enmity of the radical majority in the Norwegian storting and in retaliation the storting took away from him a yearly allowance amounting to \$12,000.

Gustave's other two children are Wilhelm, Duke of Södermanland, born July 17, 1884, who visited the United States last summer, and Erich, Duke of Westmanland, born April 20, 1889.

Czar Sends Condolences.
St. Petersburg, Dec. 8.—On receipt of the announcement of the death of

King Oscar, the emperor telegraphed his condolences to the royal family and ordered the court in mourning, as is customary in the case of death of crowned heads. The emperor will be represented by a grand duke at the obsequies.

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China Sale.
Miss Dunster's annual sale of china will be held Wednesday, December 11, at the First Congregational church, First South and Fourth East. Mrs. G. W. Putnam's section of the Ladies Aid society will have sale of Christmas articles at same time and place. Sale opens at 11 a. m.

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SECOND WEEK OF WALKER TRIAL

Some Sensational Developments Expected During Taking of Testimony.

LITTLE INTEREST SO FAR

BOTH SIDES SATISFIED WITH THE JURY.

Monday will mark the sixth day in the trial of Fred C. Walker, charged with the murder of Dr. Earl S. Beers, in this city on Sept. 19 last. The indications are that the case will occupy all of the present week as well as a portion of next week.

Most lacking, if the number of spectators in court is any criterion. Developments during the coming week are bound, however, to lend interest to the trial, for the reason that the defense put in as well as at the inquest the defense put in no testimony and now for the first time the public will be made acquainted with the defendant's side of the controversy.

Sensation Expected.
Most sensational, or at least interesting, will be the testimony given by the defendant himself, and it is certain that he will take interest in the case. This is one reason that the latter were in the apartments over the store when the crime was committed and overheard the pleadings for mercy of Dr. Beers, while he was virtually beaten to death. It will show how the accused was treated by the jury, and the testimony of Dr. Beers, which was virtually beaten to death. It will show how the accused was treated by the jury, and the testimony of Dr. Beers, which was virtually beaten to death.

Evidence of the Halls.
It is held that while the testimony of Mrs. Donohue may be of a highly sensational nature, her story cannot be as thrilling as that of the defendant. It is also more probable that the latter will be subpoenaed to give evidence as to Walker's good character prior to the commission of the deed. Among these, it is said, will be Mayor John S. Bransford, former Governor Heber M. Wells and Fisher Harris.

Another report has it that the sensational testimony given by Mrs. Bertha Hull and daughter will not be of much value, when the testimony of Mrs. Donohue, proprietress of the Lennox hotel in Salt Lake, is taken into consideration. It was at the Lennox that both Walker and Beers had apartments prior to Beers' coming to Ogden.

Exhibit in the Case.
The introduction of the clothing worn by Beers on that fateful day will also be of interest. It is said that a feature that will be brought out in the prosecution. Whether or not they have obtained the clothing is not known. It is not improbable that the state will subpoena Wilbur P. Hull as a witness. Their hand in the direction of the defense, who have asked a number of witnesses whether or not Mr. Hull was in the room at the time of the crime, and in order to clear away this apparent insinuation it may be necessary to bring in the clothing.

As yet, aside from Captain Brown of the police force, only employees of the Electric Light and Power company have been called to give testimony. Up to the present time no new details have been brought out, excepting the fact that the light which stood in the room where the fight is said to have occurred had been newly painted and that the color of that paint was green.

Bitter Contest.
From a legal point of view the case is being bitterly contested. District Attorney George Halverson and Judge S. T. Corbett are conducting the case for the state. It is probable that Judge W. L. Magnuson, who was called on to referee in the fight, will return in time to take a hand in the case before its close. On the other side is arrayed Attorney Hutchinson of Salt Lake and Judge A. G. Horn of this city.

The jury as a whole is conceded to be a fair one, but both the state and the defense. That they will decide the case wholly on the evidence and not on the basis of the clearing house, the interest they take in the examination of witnesses. It is not uncommon for the jurors to take the witness stand and themselves when the attorneys fail to bring out all of the material points. It is too early in the case to guess at the outcome, both sides being sanguine of winning.

Yesterday the jurors took advantage of the order made by Judge Howell allowing them to go to the Hot Springs, where they enjoyed a plunge and spent a great portion of the day. Later the jurors attended services at St. Joseph's Catholic church. They receive their meals in a room at the Hotel Virginia, and sleep on coats provided for their use in the county building.

Burial of Lucile Moyes.
The funeral of Lucile Moyes, the seven-month-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Moyes of Salt Lake, was held at the church ward room at 2 o'clock yesterday afternoon. Bishop James Wotherspoon presided at the services and there were a large number of guests. The singing, and solos were rendered by Miss Marion Johnson, Estelle Wright and Mrs. Mary Farley. The speakers were D. H. Ensign, C. H. Greenwell, Gilbert Torgeson and Bishop Wotherspoon. Burial was made in the city cemetery.

Death of Mrs. O. A. Parmley.
Mrs. O. A. Parmley, wife of a prominent business man of this city, died at her home, 220 Twenty-fifth street, at noon yesterday, from a complication of diseases. She had been ill for more than a year and was forty years of age. Mrs. Parmley was well liked by those who knew her, and was a patient sufferer, seldom complaining of her lot during her long illness. The arrangements for the funeral will be announced later.

Died in Hospital.
A man named John Leonard died at the Ogden general hospital yesterday. The body was taken to the Richley mortuary. Aside from the fact that the man has no relatives here nothing is known of him.

Funeral Today.
The funeral of Jonathan A. Johnson, the thirteen-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Jonathan Johnson of this city, will be held at 2 o'clock this afternoon at the Leonard mortuary. Burial will be made in the city cemetery.

REPORT UNFOUNDED.
London, Dec. 9.—The Tribune declares that the reports that Ambassador Bryce will return from America and will be succeeded by Sir Henry Howard, the minister at The Hague, are without foundation.

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SOME HOPE FOR THE DEPOSITORS

Stocks and Bills Held by California Safe Deposit & Trust Company Have Value.

San Francisco, Dec. 8.—Bank Commissioner Sherer, in a statement, said: "In my investigations of the affairs of the Safe Deposit & Trust company, I found they had loaned a great deal of money on stocks of their own companies. They seem to have very few bonds on which they have loaned money. I found in my investigations they had \$75,000 of Western Pacific railroad stock. I have been advised that within three hours before they closed they accepted a deposit of \$80,000 from a certain construction company, and that within half an hour before the closing they accepted a deposit of \$2,500."

"As far as I am able to figure out the bank's affairs, it has loaned \$5,000,000 on stocks which have some value, but are not easily convertible at this time. What these stocks may eventually realize in cash I do not pretend to say. The bank has also about \$5,000,000 of bills receivable, much of which has good collateral. Many of these bills will be realized at par. The bank has about \$9,000,000 of savings and commercial deposits."

Much Can Be Realized.
"I cannot predict how much of its various stocks and bills receivable can be realized at par, but it seems to me that in the process of liquidation the bank can realize a good deal of money and that the depositors can get a substantial return."

"There has been a great deal of talk about the securities held by the California Safe Deposit & Trust company. I found in my investigation that both Mr. Brown, the general manager, and Mr. Bartlett, one of the directors of the bank, have absolute confidence in all of their various securities. The trouble with their bank, however, is that the securities of which they think so much have not enough cash convertibility to help them out of their present embarrassment."

D. F. Walker Resigns.
David F. Walker, president of the bank, has tendered his resignation. On behalf of Mr. Walker the statement is made that he knew nothing of the bank's condition and occupied a sort of honorary position.

The depositors of the bank are for the most part professional men and laboring people. The bank was a depository of the Western Pacific railroad, which, it is said, had a balance in the bank of \$250,000 when it closed. An Ogden inquest is said to be a creditor for \$250,000.

Cause of the Trouble.
Vast industrial enterprises were launched in the form of the Carnegie Brick & Pottery company, the Eldorado Lumber company and the Pacific Window Glass company. Enormous sums were expended on these enterprises, and to sustain them it became necessary to advance them large sums of money. The bank was not a lender, but a depository of the clearing house and found itself in a perilous position when the panic seized New York. The reserve was depleted. The clearing house was not able to assist the bank and it was forced to close its doors.

Fruitless Effort.
A desperate effort was made to save the bank from a receivership, and to that end the directors proposed to raise \$900,000 by an assessment and the sale of stock, and an additional \$700,000 to be supplied by the directors individually. Some of the directors have already placed their property in escrow in the Metropolitan Securities company, a holding corporation, but upon the advice of his attorneys David F. Walker declined to be a party to the plan. Walker has stated that he was shocked to discover the condition of the institution.

WANT NEXT CONCLAVE.
Owls Hope to Bring 1909 Convention to Salt Lake City.

A strong effort will be made to bring the annual grand nest conclave of the Brotherhood of Owls to Salt Lake City in 1909. A. S. Fowler, who is the delegate from the local nest to the national meeting in Portland, has been instructed to put forth every honorable inducement. It is believed that if he gains his long-owed comrades here in 1909, it will attract 5,000 visitors. The Brotherhood of Owls is only fifteen months old, but it has a membership already of more than 8,000, with 215 subordinate lodges.

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